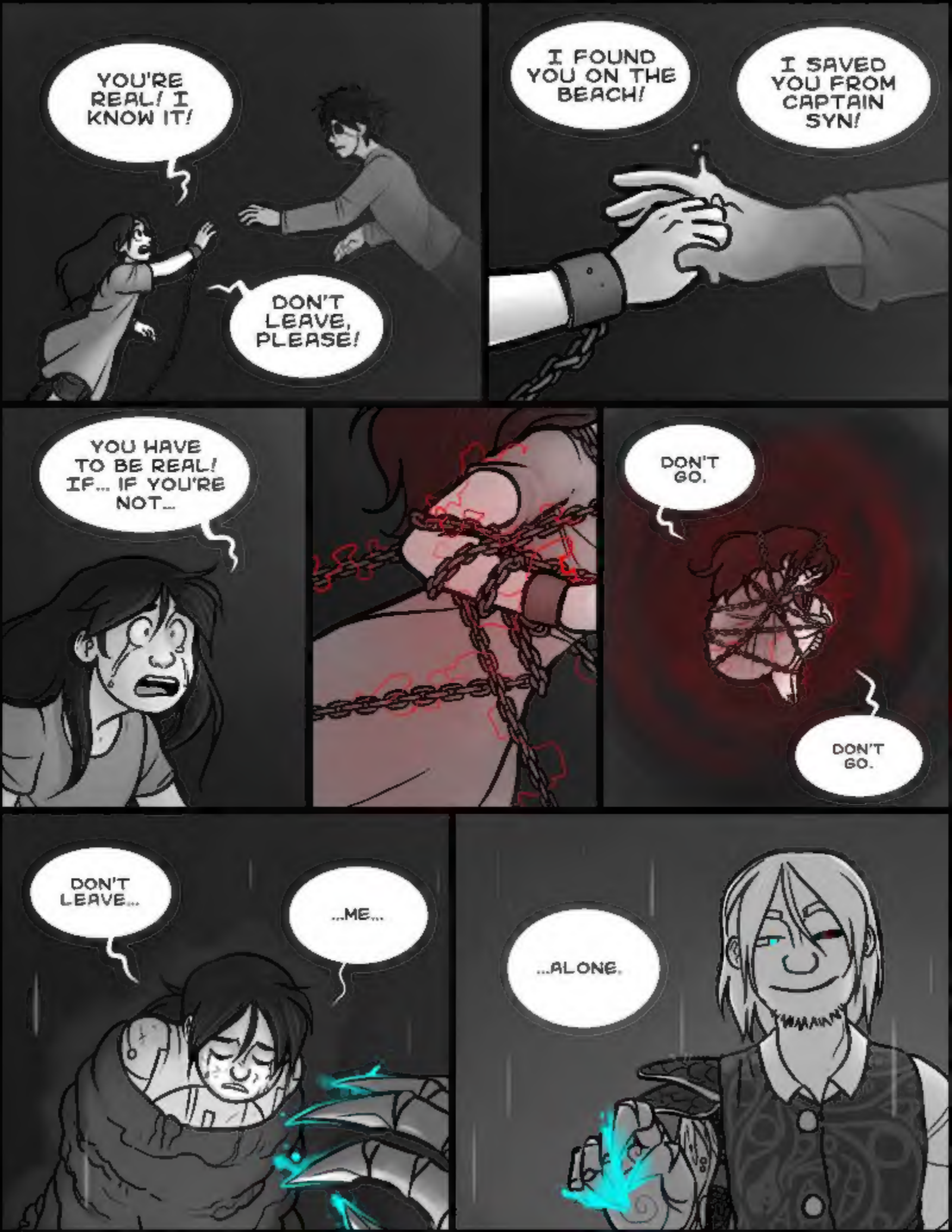
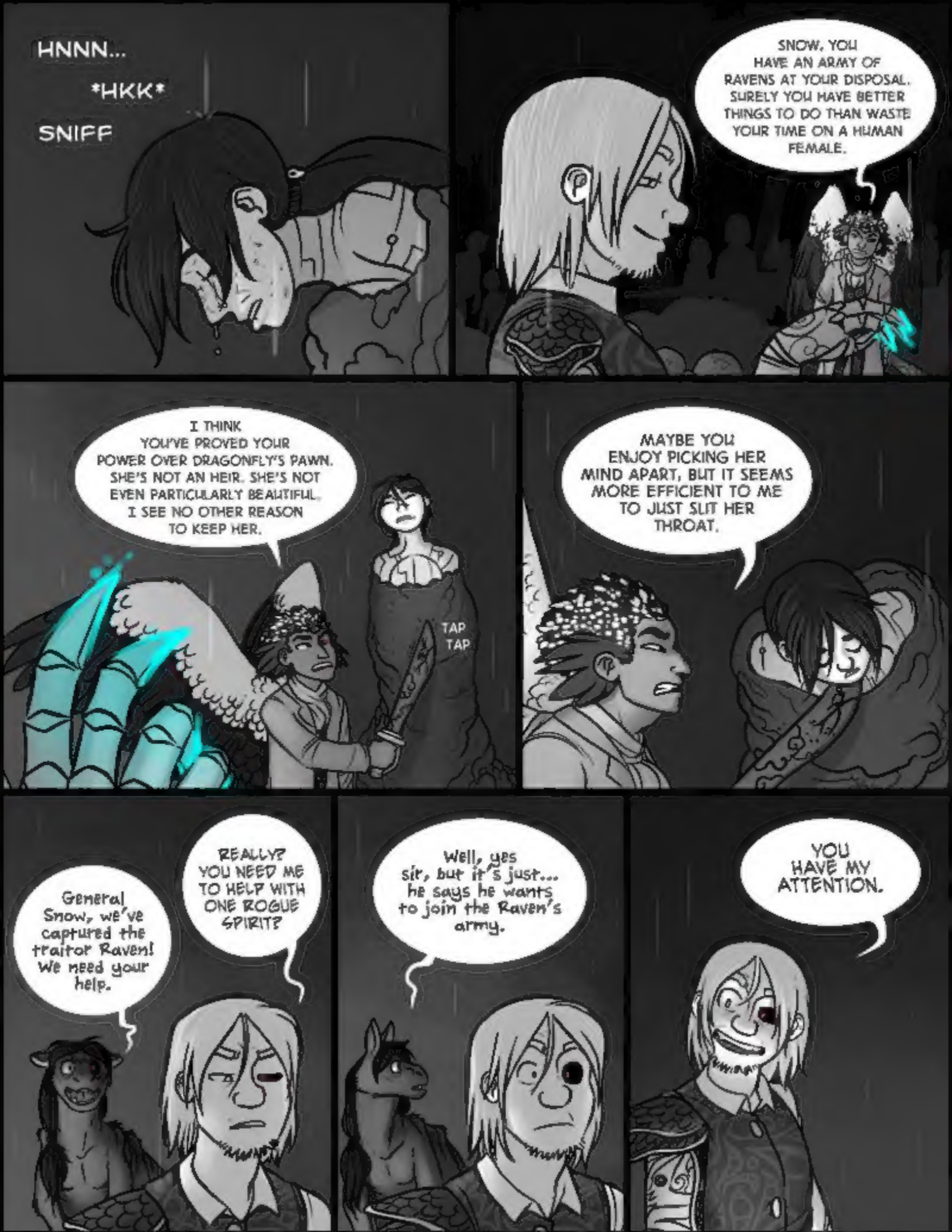
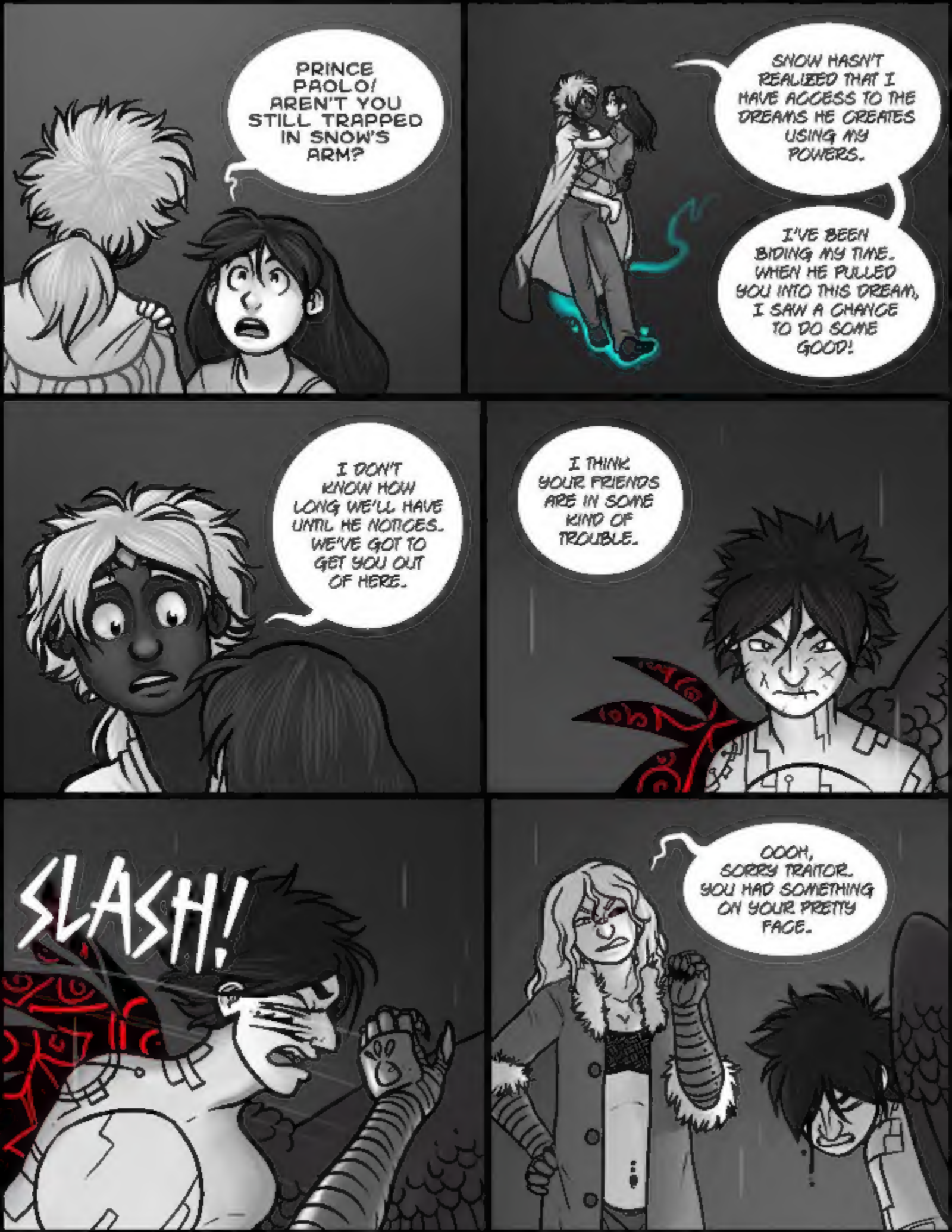

YOU'RE REAL! I KNOW IT!
DON'T LEAVE, PLEASE!
I FOUND YOU ON THE BEACH!
I SAVED YOU FROM CAPTAIN SYN!
YOU HAVE TO BE REAL! IF... IF YOU'RE NOT...
DON'T GO.
DON'T GO.
DON'T LEAVE...
...ME...
...ALONE.

NNRG...
WHERE ARE YOU? I SAW YOU GO DOWN NEAR HERE...
BLITZ!
HISSSS
ARE YOU OKAY? WE NEED-
WHOOSH!

FUSSHHHH
HSSSSSSSS
WHILE I UNDERSTAND NEITHER OF US IS IN GREAT SHAPE, WE NEED TO GET MOVING. I THINK CREDENZA'S IN TROUBLE.
SHE FELL... I REMEMBER NOW. WHERE IS SHE?
THOSE HARPIES CHASED ME AWAY, BUT I SAW THAT SHE-DRAGON FOLLOW HER DOWN.
SNOW MUST HAVE HER BY NOW. THIS WHOLE PLAN IS A DISASTER.
BUT WE GOTTA DO THE PLAN! ALICE AND SHINY PRINCE ARE TRAPPED TOO!
RAVEN? WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO?!

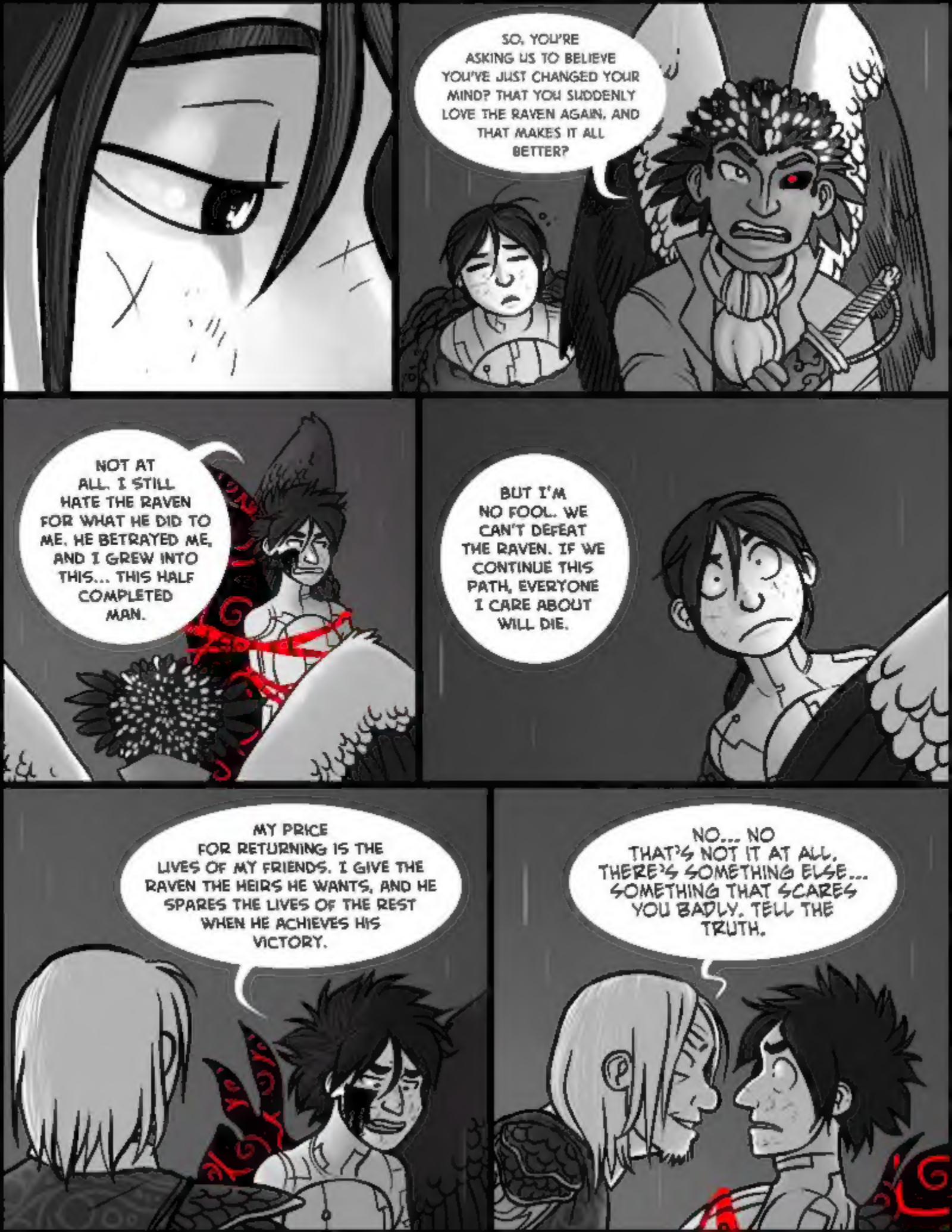

HNNN...
HKK
SNIFF
SNOW, YOU HAVE AN ARMY OF RAVENS AT YOUR DISPOSAL. SURELY YOU HAVE BETTER THINGS TO DO THAN WASTE YOUR TIME ON A HUMAN FEMALE.
I THINK YOU'VE PROVED YOUR POWER OVER DRAGONFLY'S PAWN. SHE'S NOT AN HEIR. SHE'S NOT EVEN PARTICULARLY BEAUTIFUL. I SEE NO OTHER REASON TO KEEP HER.
TAP
TAP
MAYBE YOU ENJOY PICKING HER MIND APART, BUT IT SEEMS MORE EFFICIENT TO ME TO JUST SLIT HER THROAT.
General Snow, we've captured the traitor Raven! We need your help.
REALLY? YOU NEED ME TO HELP WITH ONE ROGUE SPIRIT?
Well, yes sir, but it's just... he says he wants to join the Raven's army.
YOU HAVE MY ATTENTION.

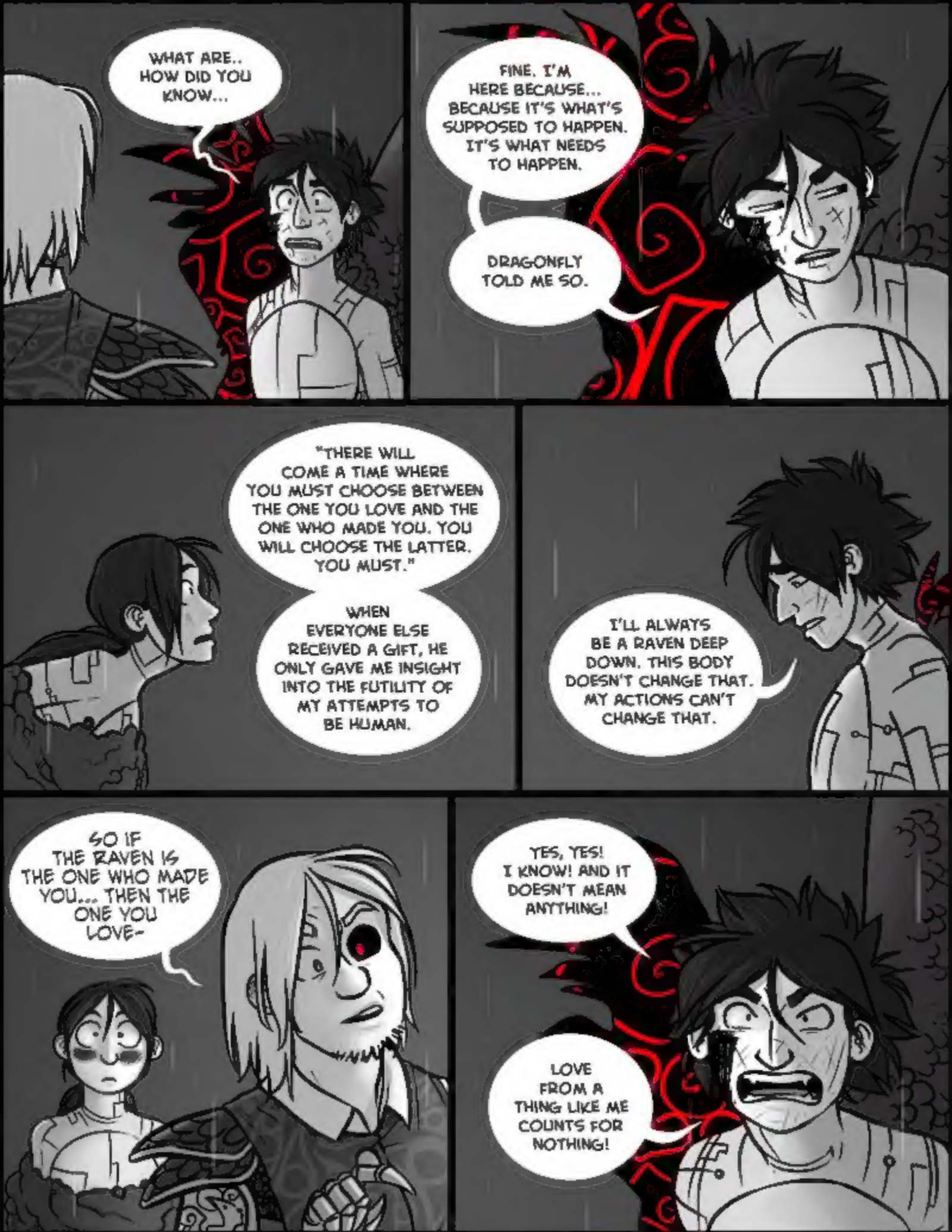
SNIFF
HIC
CREDENZA...
YOU'VE GOT TO WAKE UP!
HERE, LET ME HELP YOU.
CLINK!
WHO... WHO ARE YOU?
YOU DON'T REMEMBER ME?
OH. WELL, THAT'S OKAY.
VUSH!
IT HAS BEEN A WHILE.


PRINCE PAOLO! AREN'T YOU STILL TRAPPED IN SNOW'S ARM?
SNOW HASN'T REALIZED THAT I HAVE ACCESS TO THE DREAMS HE CREATES USING MY POWERS.
I'VE BEEN BIDING MY TIME. WHEN HE PULLED YOU INTO THIS DREAM, I SAW A CHANCE TO DO SOME GOOD!
I DON'T KNOW HOW LONG WE'LL HAVE UNTIL HE NOTICES. WE'VE GOT TO GET YOU OUT OF HERE.
I THINK YOUR FRIENDS ARE IN SOME KIND OF TROUBLE.
SLASH!
OOOH, SORRY TRAITOR. YOU HAD SOMETHING ON YOUR PRETTY FACE.

SO THE PRODIGAL SON RETURNS.
OR SO IT SEEMS. FORGIVE ME IF I QUESTION YOUR TRUE PURPOSE FOR BEING HERE.
WELL, I SEE NO POINT IN QUESTIONS. HE'S A TRAITOR! PLAIN AND SIMPLE!
HE TURNED AGAINST THE GREAT AND GENEROUS RAVEN. WE HAVE NO NEED OF HIM.
IS THAT SO? THEN I ASSUME YOU'VE FOUND A WAY TO BREAK INTO THE UNDERGROUND LAB?
THAT'S WHAT I THOUGHT.
IF I'M ON YOUR SIDE, I'LL HAND THE REMAINING HEIRS TO YOU ON A SILVER PLATTER.
ONCE I HAVE A RAVEN IN MY HEAD... I WON'T HAVE A CHOICE.

SO IF THIS IS A DREAM, HOW DO I ESCAPE?
THIS CRUDE DREAM IS BASED ON YOUR MEMORIES OF PAIN. YOU HAVE TO FIGHT AGAINST THEM WITH STRONGER MEMORIES OF JOY.
I CAN'T THINK OF ANY GOOD MEMORIES HERE! I'M NOT EVEN SURE MY MEMORIES ARE REAL!
THEN BORROW SOME OF MINE. JUST BE SURE TO THANK MY GUARDS WHEN YOU SEE THEM NEXT.
IT'S THANKS TO THEM I HAVE SO MANY GOOD MEMORIES TO SHARE.


SO, YOU'RE ASKING US TO BELIEVE YOU'VE JUST CHANGED YOUR MIND? THAT YOU SUDDENLY LOVE THE RAVEN AGAIN, AND THAT MAKES IT ALL BETTER?
NOT AT ALL. I STILL HATE THE RAVEN FOR WHAT HE DID TO ME. HE BETRAYED ME, AND I GREW INTO THIS... THIS HALF COMPLETED MAN.
BUT I'M NO FOOL. WE CAN'T DEFEAT THE RAVEN. IF WE CONTINUE THIS PATH, EVERYONE I CARE ABOUT WILL DIE.
MY PRICE FOR RETURNING IS THE LIVES OF MY FRIENDS. I GIVE THE RAVEN THE HEIRS HE WANTS, AND HE SPARES THE LIVES OF THE REST WHEN HE ACHIEVES HIS VICTORY.
NO... NO THAT'S NOT IT AT ALL. THERE'S SOMETHING ELSE... SOMETHING THAT SCARES YOU BADLY. TELL THE TRUTH.


WHAT ARE.. HOW DID YOU KNOW...
FINE. I'M HERE BECAUSE... BECAUSE IT'S WHAT'S SUPPOSED TO HAPPEN. IT'S WHAT NEEDS TO HAPPEN.
DRAGONFLY TOLD ME SO.
"THERE WILL COME A TIME WHERE YOU MUST CHOOSE BETWEEN THE ONE YOU LOVE AND THE ONE WHO MADE YOU. YOU WILL CHOOSE THE LATTER. YOU MUST."
WHEN EVERYONE ELSE RECEIVED A GIFT, HE ONLY GAVE ME INSIGHT INTO THE FUTILITY OF MY ATTEMPTS TO BE HUMAN.
I'LL ALWAYS BE A RAVEN DEEP DOWN. THIS BODY DOESN'T CHANGE THAT. MY ACTIONS CAN'T CHANGE THAT.
SO IF THE RAVEN IS THE ONE WHO MADE YOU... THEN THE ONE YOU LOVE-
YES, YES! I KNOW! AND IT DOESN'T MEAN ANYTHING!
LOVE FROM A THING LIKE ME COUNTS FOR NOTHING!